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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed in the signatory page(s) commencing at page 3 hereof) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed in said signatory page(s)) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

**TRAY WITH INTEGRATED RAIL GUIDES FOR FACILITATING INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT
UNITS INTO A CABINET RACK**

the specification of which (check one)

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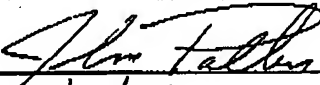
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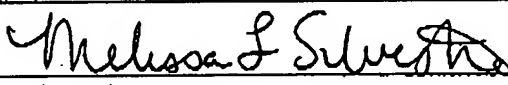
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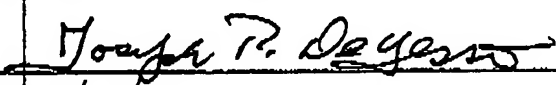
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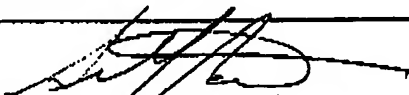
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